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Photo of the Week: 'Gathering of Dominican Sisters at the UN CSW62' (UN Update)



### 'Futuring Dominican Charism for Mission, Sisters and Lay Partners Together'

"Dominican Sisters and lay partners from the 18 DSC Congregations in the US and the Dominican Sisters and their lay partners in Zimbabwe, Zambia and Kenya have engaged these past 9 months in our Dominican Sisters International Futuring OP Charism planning project supported by the GHR Foundation [...]" Please click "Read more" for an update on the Global Planning Project.

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### McGreal 10th Anniversary Series: "Team McGreal" Part 1

In the next article of the McGreal 10th Anniversary series, Sister Janet Welsh, O.P. (McGreal Director) introduces who is currently working at the Center.

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# Dominican Sisters of Adrian 'Reach Out to Local Communities during National Catholic Sisters Week'

"Adrian Dominican Sisters at the Motherhouse campus in Adrian and throughout the United States reached out to their local communities during National Catholic Sisters Week (NCSW), March 8-14, to share their lives and ministries, giving people a glimpse of what their vocation means to them."

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# Dominican Sisters of Adrian: 'Speakers Share Successes in Creating Resilient Communities'

On March 12, 2018, Adrian Dominican Sisters, Associates, and community members from the Adrian area gathered to explore "the keys to forming and maintaining resilient communities . . . Resilient communities have been an important focus for the Adrian Dominican Sisters as a way to live out one of the four Enactments from its 2016 General Chapter."

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#### 'Dominican Sisters of Peace Name New Justice Promoter'

Sister Barbara Kane, OP is the new Justice Promoter for the Dominican Sisters of Peace. "In her new position, Sr. Barb will promote Justice, Peace, and the Integrity of Creation (JCIP) through education, advocacy and social action."

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#### 'Dominican Sisters of Peace Promote Gun Safety, Sensible Gun Control'

"Following the tragic shooting at Marjory Stoneman Douglas High, [the Dominican Sisters of Peace] responded to support the efforts of student activists by encouraging [their] own schools to honor the lives lost and to encourage Congress to enact laws to ensure gun safety [...]"

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#### **Dominican Sisters of Racine Elect New Leadership**

"On Friday, March 2, the Racine Dominicans concluded their Chapter process by electing a new executive committee to lead the congregation for the next four years. The new executives, who will take office on July 1, include Maryann McMahon, OP, president; Kathy Slesar, OP, and Lisa Kane, OP, who will serve as vice presidents." Please click "Read more" to view a photo of the newly elected leaders.

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### **Dominican Sisters of Grand Rapids Elect New Leadership**

"With deep gratitude for a blessed Chapter experience, the Dominican Sisters ~ Grand Rapids announce our incoming Leadership Team. Sandra Delgado, OP

will serve as the new Prioress of the Congregation. Joan Williams, OP becomes the new Vicaress, Maureen Geary, OP and Megan McElroy, OP will both serve as Councilors." Please click "Read more" to view a photo of the newly elected leaders.

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#### Dominican Sisters of Blauvelt: National Catholic Sisters Week Recognized with a Proclamation from Orangetown

"At the beginning of National Catholic Sisters Week, the two Dominican Congregations of Women Religious in Rockland County, the Sisters of Saint Dominic of Blauvelt, New York and the Dominican Sisters of Sparkill were recognized along with other religious communities in a Proclamation from the Town of Orangetown Supervisor, Chris Day."

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## Dominican Sisters of Hope: Catholic Sisters and the Empowerment of Women Around the World

Dominican Sisters of Hope's digital journalist/communicator, Gina Ciliberto wrote an article for *YES! Magazine*: "The Catholic Sisters Empowering Women Around the World." In the article Gina states, "Women worldwide hold the keys to our future. And we're not alone in this belief: Next week, hundreds of women will gather from around the world to explore the challenges and opportunities for empowering women and achieving gender equality at the U.N. Commission on the Status of Women [...]"

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## Dominican Sisters in Committed Collaboration (OPSCC): 'Gun Control Reform Postcards'

"The Dominican Sisters in Committed Collaboration (OPSCC) Justice Committee invites you to send a postcard calling for gun control reform! You can sign-up to have postcards, sent in your name, to the President, your U.S. Senators, and your Congressional Representative."

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#### **Dominican Institute for the Arts Spring 2018 Newsletter**

Read the latest news from the Dominican Institute for the Arts (DIA). Please click "Read more" to find the DIA newsletter.

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